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PATENT *for 504*

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Royer et al.

Confirmation No: 3928

Serial No.: 09/461,537

Group Art Unit: 1636

Filed: December 15, 1999

Examiner: M. Marvich

For: Non-Toxic, Non-Toxigenic, Non-Pathogenic Fusarium Expression System

AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed July 26, 2004.

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action be extended for a period of 1 month from October 27, 2004 to November 26, 2004. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be \$110.00.

No additional claims fee is required.

Please charge the required extension and claims fees, estimated to be \$110.00, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 27, 2004

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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence comprising:

1. Amendment Fee Transmittal (in duplicate)
2. Amendment
3. Sequence Listing & Diskette
4. Verified Statement
5. References

is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the address indicated above on October 27, 2004.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 26, 2004, please amend the above-captioned application as follows: